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Subject: Conditional Approval of Revised Map 7-2, Mine Site Drainage Map, West Ridge Resources, Inc., West Ridge Mine, C/007/041, Task ID #2738, Outgoing File

Dear Mr. Shaver:

The above-referenced amendment is conditionally approved upon receipt of three additional copies prepared for incorporation. Please submit these copies by February 26, 2007. Once we receive these copies, final approval will be granted, at which time you may proceed with your plans. A stamped incorporated copy of the approved plans will also be returned to you at that time, for insertion into your copy of the Mining and Reclamation Plan.

This minor change to Map 7-2 involved the addition of riprap on the outslope adjacent to the coal reclaim conveyor/crusher building. The purpose of the riprap is to minimize further erosive action of this slope by crusher pad wash down water.

As this is a minor change to the surface drainage plan, a revision to the Master Technical Analysis for the West Ridge Mine is not necessary.

If you should have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact me at (801) 538-5286 or Peter Hess at (435) 613-1146, Ext. 203. Thank you.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "D. Wayne Hedberg".

D. Wayne Hedberg
Permit Supervisor

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Enclosure
cc: Price Field Office
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